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# GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY

# CHIEF SECRETARIAT (EDUCATION)

(G.O. Ms. No. 61, dated 12th May 2010)

## **ORDER**

The Government of Puducherry, has decided to follow the normalization procedure for admission to 'First year of the following Professional Courses' for the academic year 2010-11. The various professional courses are Engineering, Medical, Dental, Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Agricultural Science, B.Pharm., B.Sc.(Nursing), B.P.T. and B.Sc.(M.L.T.), offered by Government and the constituent Institutions of Societies fully funded by the Government of Puducherry. The seats of above courses are coming under the purview of CENTAC are the seats of Pondicherry Engineering College, Perunthalaivar Kamarajar Institute of Engineering and Technology, Mahatma Gandhi Post-graduate Institute of Dental Sciences, Rajiv Gandhi College of Veterinary and Animal Sciences, Mother Theresa Institute of Health Sciences and the Government quota seats in other self-financing Educational Institutions. within the Union territory of Puducherry.

- 2. Hence, His Excellency, the Lieutenant-Governor is pleased to order the following composition of CENTAC 2010-11 and the norms for admission to various professional courses for the academic year 2010-11.
- 3. Composition of CENTAC .— The composition of CENTAC for the academic year 2010-11 is as follows:
  - (1) The Principal Secretary / Secretary to ... Chairman/ Government (Education), Puducherry Chairperson.
  - (2) The Principal Secretary / Secretary to ... Member Government (Health), Puducherry.
  - (3) Director of Health and Family Welfare Services, ... Member Puducherry.
  - (4) Director of Higher and Technical Education, .. Member Puducherry.
  - (5) Principal, Perunthalaivar Kamarajar Institute of ... Member Engineering and Technology, Karaikal.
  - (6) Director, Mahatma Gandhi Post-graduate Institute . . Member of Dental Sciences, Puducherry.
  - (7) Dean, Mother Theresa Institute of Health Sciences, . . Member Puducherry.
  - (8) Dean, Rajiv Gandhi College of Veterinary and . . Member Animal Sciences, Puducherry.
  - (9) Dean, PAJANCOA, Karaikal . . Member
  - (10) Convenor (Joint Admission Committee 2010) . . Member
  - (11) Co-ordinator (Engineering) ... Member
  - (12) Co-ordinator (Biology based courses) . . Member
  - (13) Principal, Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry . . Member/ Convenor.

There will be a Joint Admission Committee for undertaking admissions for professional courses as stated above (paragraph 1) on the basis of marks obtained in the qualifying examination.

4. Convenors and Co-ordinators.— In order to co-ordinate and regulate the various activities connected with admission to the various courses referred to in paragraph 1, for the academic year 2010-11, Dr. V. Prithiviraj, Principal, Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry, will be the Convenor (CENTAC 2010-11). Dr. R. Sekar, Professor (Mathematics Department), Pondicherry Engineering College – Convenor (JAC). Dr. N. Alagumurthi, Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering, Pondicherry Engineering College–Co-ordinator, Dr. S.V. Srinivasan, Assistant Professor, Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology, Mahatma Gandhi Institute of Post-graduate Dental Sciences, Puducherry, will be the Co-ordinators in-charge for counselling and admissions to the Engineering and Biology based courses respectively.

- 5. Eligibility criteria.— The eligibility criteria for admission to various courses are as stipulated by the Pondicherry University or by the respective governing Statutory Bodies, for all professional courses.
- 6. Age.— The age will be reckoned as on 1st July 2010 for B.Tech. course and 31st December 2010 for M.B., B.S., B.Sc.(Nursing), and B.P.T. courses respectively. There is no age limit for admission to B.D.S., B.V.Sc. and AH, B.Pharm. and B.Sc. (M.L.T.). For B.Tech. course the upper age limit is 21 years, which is, relaxable by three years in respect of SC/ST candidates. For M.B., B.S. and B.Sc.(Nursing) courses, the lower age limit will be 17 years. For B.P.T., candidates should have completed 17 years as on 31st December 2010 and the upper age limit is restricted to 25 years.
- 7. Admission procedure for all candidates and for all courses.— The regionwise normalisation procedure / applicant state quota shall be as follows:—
  - (A) The Merit list for admission shall be prepared by CENTAC based on the marks arrived at, by adopting the 'method of normalisation', as detailed in paragraph 7(C) below.
  - (B) The selection of candidates for admission to all the degree courses shall be based on the merit list for B.Tech., B.Pharm., and all other Biology-based degree courses, prepared as per the following procedure:
  - (i) B. Tech. :
  - (a) Ranking of the candidates will be based on the 'normalised marks' (rounded-off to three decimal places) arrived at, to a base of 200.
  - (b) Admission is based on the prescribed subjects in the qualifying examination, *i.e.*, for H.S.C. Academic: Mathematics, Physics and any one of the optional subjects [Chemistry / Bio-Technology / Computer Science / Biology / Botany and Zoology (including practicals\*)] and for H.S.C. Vocational: Vocational Subject Theory, Vocational Subject Practical and a Related Subject.
  - (c) Equal weightage should be given to all the three prescribed subjects. In case a candidate has appeared in more than any one of the above prescribed optional subjects, the subject in which the candidate has obtained the highest marks will be taken into consideration for 'normalisation' and for the total marks. Wherever separate marks for practicals are awarded, the same will be considered along with the respective subjects, for arriving at the actual total marks and hence the 'normalised marks.'
  - (ii) M.B., B.S./B.D.S./B.V.Sc. and A.H. / B.Sc.(Nursing)/B.P.T.
  - (a) Ranking will be based on the normalised marks (rounded-off to three decimal places) arrived at to a base of 200.

<sup>\*</sup> wherever applicable.

- (b) Admission is based on the prescribed subjects in the qualifying examination [i.e., Biology / Botany and Zoology, Physics and Chemistry (including practicals)].
- (c) Equal weightage should be given to all the above three prescribed subjects. In case a candidate has appeared in more than one (prescribed) optional subjects, the subject in which the candidate has obtained the highest marks will be taken into consideration for 'normalisation'. In case, the practical marks are awarded separately, the same will be reckoned along with the respective theory subjects, for arriving at the actual total marks and hence the 'normalised marks'.

# (iii) B.Sc. (M.L.T.):

- (a) Ranking will be based on the normalised marks (rounded-off to three decimal places) arrived at to a base of 200.
- (b) Candidates should have a pass in the Higher Secondary Examination (academic) conducted by the Board of Higher Secondary Examination of Tamil Nadu, or any other equivalent examination accepted by the University, thereto with a minimum of 50% marks (40% marks for SC, ST, MBC and OBC candidates) in Part–III subjects of Physics, Chemistry and Biology / Botany and Zoology and should have English as one of the subjects.
- (c) Equal weightage should be given to all the above three prescribed subjects. In case a candidate has appeared in more than one (prescribed) optional subjects, the subject in which the candidate has obtained the highest marks will be taken into consideration for 'normalisation'. In case, the practical marks are awarded separately, the same will be reckoned along with the respective theory subjects, for arriving at the actual total marks and hence the 'normalised marks'.

#### (iv) B. Pharm.:

- (a) Ranking of the candidates will be based on the normalised marks (rounded-off to three decimal places) arrived at to a base of 200.
- (b) Admission is based on the prescribed subjects in the qualifying examination *i.e.*, for HSC. Academic: Physics, Chemistry and one of the following optional subjects [Mathematics / Bio-Technology / Computer Science / Biology / Botany and Zoology (including Pradicals\*)] in which the candidate has scored the highest marks.
- (c) Equal weightage should be given to all the above three prescribed subjects. In case a candidate has appeared in more than one (prescribed) optional subjects, the subject in which the candidate has obtained the highest marks will be taken into consideration for 'normalisation'. In case, the practical marks are awarded separately, the same will be reckoned along with the respective theory subjects, for arriving at the actual total marks and hence the 'normalised marks'.

<sup>\*</sup> wherever applicable.

- (C) In order to evolve a common base for comparing the marks obtained by the candidates from various Boards of Examinations, 'normalisation procedure' as outlined below should be followed:
  - (i) The marks obtained by the students in the relevant subjects in the qualifying examination conducted by various Boards or Authority, should be equated with the marks obtained by the students in the same subjects in the qualifying examination, conducted by the State Board (i.e., State Board of School Examinations, Tamil Nadu) by adopting the method of normalisation.

Explanation.— Under the method of normalisation, the highest marks obtained by the students of various Boards in each subject, should be equated to the highest mark obtained by the students of the State Board in that subject, and the relative marks of other students in that subject, shall be determined accordingly.

Illustration.— If the highest marks secured by a student of the State Board, in Physics is 100 and the highest mark secured by a student of any other Board in the same subject is 90, then, both the highest marks will be considered to be equal to 100. If a student of the other Board secures 60 marks in Physics, when the first mark in Physics in the same Board is 90, then, 60 marks will be considered to be equal to 66.667 marks as arrived at and given below:

$$(100 \times 60)/90 = 66.667\%$$

- (ii) After normalisation of marks for the eligible students of different Boards, in the relevant subjects, the 'normalised marks' obtained should be merged into 'a common merit list'.
- (iii) In cases, where more than one student have got the same marks in the 'common merit list', the 'inter se merit' among such students should be determined in the manner prescribed as in paragraph 7(F) below.
- (iv) For the purpose of normalisation of marks of candidates from 'Other States', except for B.Tech. course, marks obtained in the respective subject, from among the various Boards under which the above candidates have actually studied and applied for a particular course, shall be considered.
- Example.— For B.Pharm. course, if candidates from Andhra Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh and Maharashtra alone have applied against "All India Quota", then, the above Boards and their maximum marks only need to be considered, for the purpose of 'normalisation' of marks.
- (D) Admission to 'B.Tech. Degree' course, for the candidates belonging to 'Other States' (i.e., for All India quota of seats), actual merit marks obtained through "AIEEE" (All India Engineering Entrance Examination) will alone be considered. Further, all such candidates shall

be required to apply in the prescribed Admission Application Form, on-line application form and they should also satisfy all other requirements as prescribed in the Information Bulletin (2010-11).

- (E) Admission of candidates belonging to 'Other States' (i.e., for All India quota of seats) for all other professional courses (except for B.Tech. course), wherever such quota exists and an All India based recognised entrance examination is not available, shall be based on the 'inter se merit list' drawn based on the 'normalised marks'. Further, all such candidates shall be required to apply in the prescribed Admission Application Form, on-line application form and they should also satisfy all other requirements as specified in the Information Bulletin (2010-11).
- (F) When more than one candidate have got the same marks in the common merit list (*i.e.*, the merit list prepared after merging the normalised marks of candidates from various Boards), the 'inter se merit' among such candidates, for each course should be determined "in the order of priority" as given in the Table below:

# Order of priority for breaking the 'tie' in the 'normalised marks' for various courses

S1.	Course(s)		Order of priority specified for the course
No.			
(1)	(2)		(4)
1	B.Tech.	(i)	Percentage of actual marks in Mathematics
		(ii)	Percentage of actual marks in Physics
		(iii)	Percentage of actual marks in third optional (specified) subject.
		(iv-a)	'Total normalised marks' of all eligible subjects prescribed for the course. (OR)
		(iv-b)	Total marks of all eligible subjects prescribed for the course (this priority is applicable only for candidates of 'Other States').
		(v)	Date of birth
		(vi)	Random number assigned.
2 All Biology (i) based courses			Percentage of actual marks in Biology / Botany and Zoology.
		(ii)	Percentage of actual marks in Physics
		(iii)	Percentage of actual marks in Chemistry
		(iv), (v)	As specified for B.Tech. course (taken in that
		and (vi)	order).
3	B.Pharm.	(i)	Percentage of actual marks in Physics
		(ii)	Percentage of actual marks in Chemistry
		(iii)	Percentage of actual marks in third optional (specified) subject.
		(iv), (v)	As specified for B. Tech. course (taken in that
		and (vi)	order).

- 8. Admission procedure to 'other States quota' for the candidates of Union territory of Puducherry.— Admission for candidates of Union territory of Puducherry to Professional Colleges (Engineering, Medicine, Dental, Nursing, Pharmacy, Veterinary) in 'Other States', against the seats reserved for Union Territory of Puducherry candidates, will be coordinated by CENTAC. However, they need not submit any separate application for this purpose and hence, the application / (s) submitted to CENTAC for admission to B.Tech. / Biology-based courses will be 'treated as valid' for the above admission also. The Directorate of Higher and Technical Education (DHTE), Government of Puducherry, and other concerned Authorities, shall furnish the details of seats reserved for Union territory of Puducherry candidates in 'Other State Colleges' (resident / native and non-resident candidates separately) to CENTAC, well before the commencement of the first schedule of counselling to Professional Courses (for 2010-11).
- 9. Admission procedure for non-resident candidates to various courses.— Non-resident candidates seeking admission to other State / Union Territory seats reserved for them in various courses, except in B.Tech., will be based on the marks obtained by a student in the relevant subjects prescribed for the course in the qualifying examination and following the norms / procedure prescribed by the respective statutory bodies. In case no such norms exist, then the Institutions will follow the norms / procedure prescribed by their respective Governing Bodies. Further, all such candidates will be required to apply in the prescribed Admission Application Form and they should satisfy all other requirements as specified in the Information Bulletin (2010-11).
- 10. Admission procedure for B.Sc.(Agri.) course.— Counselling and admission to B.Sc.(Agri.) course in Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru College of Agriculture (PAJANCOA), Karaikal, will be conducted by PAJANCOA, on the basis of merit list prepared in the prescribed manner above and released by CENTAC and based on the various criteria and requirements specified by PAJANCOA, for the above course.
- 11. Merit list.—The merit list for various professional courses will be declared by CENTAC and displayed on the notice-board, in the premises of CENTAC Office, Pondicherry Engineering College Campus, Kalapet, Puducherry. Further, it would also be made available on the official website:http://www.centacprof.net.in. The merit list will be displayed in a manner showing the maximum marks obtained in the qualifying examination of the respective Boards, actual marks obtained and normalised marks for each candidate.
- 12. Cost of application form.— The cost of Information Bulletin and Admission Application / online Application Form is Rs. 500 for B.Tech. and Biology-based courses for General / OBC candidates and Rs. 250 for SC (origin of Union territory of Puducherry) candidates.
- 13. Counselling fee.— A non-refundable counselling fee of Rs. 600 (for General and OBC candidates) and Rs.200 for SC (origin of Union territory of Puducherry) candidates, shall be collected from each candidate getting

admission for the first time to any of the degree courses, coming under the purview of CENTAC. However, during every subsequent / supplementary counselling, candidates will be required to pay an additional non-refundable counselling fee of Rs. 400 (for General and OBC categories) and Rs.150 for SC (origin of Union territory of Puducherry). Further, it is decided to conduct two counselling sessions only in order to facilitate adequate working days for the professional course being admitted.

- 14. Counselling procedure.— Candidates will be called for counselling as per the merit list declared by CENTAC for the various professional courses. Options (i.e., for the course and college) exercised by the candidates at the time of counselling will be a final binding and they will not be permitted to change the course of study / branch / college under any circumstances.
- 15. Reservation of seats and fee structure.— Percentage of reservation in different colleges, number of seats in various courses, fee structure in each of the Government colleges and self-financing colleges, will be as per the Government orders, issued from time to time.
- 16. Reservation to Scheduled caste Candidates.— The reservation benefits for admission into various Professional Educational Institutions will be extended to the Origin Scheduled Caste candidates of Union territory of Puducherry only.
- 17. Admission of candidates to new course /(s) or new college /(s).— Subsequent to the publication of admission notification to all professional courses for the academic year 2010-11, if any new course / (s) new college / (s) or change in intake to the various existing and notified course / (s) is / are approved by the Government of Puducherry and other Statutory Bodies, for admission during the academic year 2010-11, the candidates who have already applied for admission to the various professional courses (for 2010-11) within the prescribed time-frame to CENTAC, will be automatically considered for admission to the new college (s) / course (s) also.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

M. Gunasekaran, Under Secretary to Government (Education).

# GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY

CHIEF SECRETARIAT (EDUCATION)

(G.O. Ms. No. 62, dated 12th May 2010)

## **ORDER**

The Government of Puducherry has constituted a Centralised Admission Committee (CENTAC) to regulate the admission of students to the first year Degree courses in Medical, Engineering, Dental, Veterinary and Animal Sciences and Agricultural colleges run by the Government and the societies fully funded by the Government of Puducherry, and B.Pharm., B.Sc.(Nursing), B.P.T. and B.Sc.(M.L.T.) courses offered by Mother Theresa Institute of Health Sciences, Puducherry.

- 2. The All India Council for Technical Education has permitted Engineering Colleges to admit students, who have passed Diploma in Engineering in the relevant branch with a minimum of 60% in the aggregate, or have passed Degree in Science (B.Sc.) with Mathematics as a subject with a minimum of 60% marks in the aggregate, to second year/III semester level of degree programmes in Engineering and Technology subject to a maximum of 10% of the intake sanctioned in the concerned branch of Engineering / Technology, under Lateral Entry Scheme.
- 3. His Excellency, the Lieutenant-Governor is therefore pleased to constitute a Centralised Admission Committee (CENTAC) (Lateral Entry) with the following members for regulating admission of candidates to the B.Tech. degree courses under Lateral Entry Scheme for the academic year 2010-11.
  - (1) The Principal Secretary / Secretary to .. Chairman/ Government (Education), Puducherry Chairperson.
  - (2) Director of Higher and Technical Education, .. Member Puducherry.
  - (3) The Principal, Pondicherry Engineering College, ... Convenor Puducherry.
  - (4) Dr. B. Rami Reddy, Professor of Electrical and ... Co-ordinator Electronics Engineering, Pondicherry Engineering College, Puducherry.

The admission procedure laid down hereunder shall be followed by the Centralised Admission Committee (CENTAC) (Lateral Entry).

#### **ELIGIBILITY**:

- (i) Age.— The candidate should not have completed 24 years of age as on 1st July of 2010. Relaxable up to three years for Scheduled Caste (Origin of Union territory of Puducherry) candidates.
- (ii) Qualification.— The minimum qualification for Lateral Entry into third semester of the eight semester B.Tech. programme shall be as follows:

A pass in three year diploma or four year sandwich diploma course in engineering / technology with a minimum of 60 % marks (50% marks of OBC and a mere pass for SC/ST candidates) in aggregate in the subjects covered from 3rd to final semester or a pass in any B.Sc. course with Mathematics as one of the subjects of study with a minimum of 60% marks (50% marks for OBC and a mere pass for SC/ST candidates) in aggregate in main and ancillary subjects excluding language subjects.

The details of branches in the Diploma courses eligible for admission to different B.Tech. courses will be given in the Information Bulletin 2010-11.

- (i) Residents.— Lateral Entry for eligible candidates is allowed only for the residents of Union territory of Puducherry at the second year / third semester level.
- (ii) Examination scheme.— The selection of candidates shall be on the basis of the marks obtained in the entrance test. The test will be of objective type with 120 questions and 2 hours 30 minutes duration in the relevant subject.

A Co-ordinator nominated by the Convenor shall regulate the conduct of entrance test and preparation of merit list.

The admission based on the merit list shall be made after due counselling. All other aspects of admission procedure shall be decided by the Committee.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

# M. GUNASEKARAN,

Under Secretary to Government (Education).

# GOVERNMENT OF PUDUCHERRY CHIEF SECRETARIAT (EDUCATION)

(G.O. Ms. No. 63, dated 12th May 2010)

## **ORDER**

In order to regulate the admission procedure in self-financing Professional Colleges Government Orders have been issued *vide* this Secretariat's G.O. Ms. Nos. 63 and 64, dated 25-5-2006 framing the Pondicherry Private Professional Educational Institutions (Provision of Reservations, Admission of Students and Fixation of Fees) Regulations, 2006 and Regulations prescribing domicile requirement for admission of students to the Private Professional Educational Institutions in the Union territory of Puducherry.

As required under rule 12 of the G.O. Ms. No. 63, dated 25-5-2006, the self-financing Private Professional Colleges have to declare the number of seats allocated for general category by a prescribed date for filling the same through CENTAC. Therefore the 21-5-2010 is declared as the prescribed date under rule 12 of the G.O. Ms. No. 63, dated 25-5-2006 of Chief Secretariat (Education), by which all Private Professional Colleges shall declare the number of general category seats which shall be filled by the candidates sponsored through CENTAC 2010-11. The Admission Committee constituted under rule 16 shall take appropriate steps for admission to management seats in terms of rules 12.1(c) and 12.2 of the order for regulating admission to private Professional Colleges as per G.O. Ms. Nos. 63 and 64, dated 25-5-2006 of Chief Secretariat (Education), Puducherry.

(By order of the Lieutenant-Governor)

M. GUNASEKARAN,

Under Secretary to Government (Education).